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Did You Know?

The faculty and staff of Saint Mary's have produced a large body of published works over the years. [See some highlights.](#)

Do you have a little-known tidbit or story about Saint Mary's? Send it to [Campus News](#).

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Lasallian Reflections

Cal Grant Cut Repealed

Good news for Saint Mary's Cal Grant recipients, who welcomed Governor Jerry Brown's June 20 repeal of the 11.3 percent cut to the maximum award of \$9,084 for incoming freshmen this fall at private, nonprofit colleges and universities. Plus Saint Mary's student Paola Vergara '15 provided testimony [before the state senate education committee in support of another related bill](#).

Rummery Reflection

Faculty, staff and Brothers—from nine different Saint Mary's departments—gathered June 3-6 at St. Joseph's Camp on the Russian River for the 12th annual Rummery Retreat, [a chance to delve into Lasallian heritage and spirituality with Brother Gerard Rummery from Sydney, Australia.](#)



Veterans Rule in All-Star Classic



Fans packed McKeon Pavilion yesterday to see some of the great stars in Saint Mary's men's basketball history [return to the court for the All-Star Classic](#).

Summer Schedules



For the week of **June 30**.

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Hankering for a cup of coffee at 3 p.m. in July? Want to check out a book or go for a swim? Don't get caught without crucial caffeine and more. Check the summer schedules for [Oliver Hall](#), [Café Louis](#), [Madigan Gym and Pool](#), and the [Library](#).



River of Words Awards Ceremony



Thirteen poets and artists, ages 7 to 17, were honored Sunday, June 15 at Saint Mary's River of Words Awards ceremony. The environmental youth poetry and art competition was emceed by former U.S. Poet Laureate Robert Hass, who co-founded the contest 19 years ago with writer and KSOE Center for Environmental Literacy Director Pamela Michael.

Go Gaels

Gaels Welcome Jana McCord, Jana Nabel for 2014-15

Saint Mary's women's tennis coach Lisa Alipaz announced that the Gaels will welcome talented newcomers [Jana McCord](#) and [Jana Nabel](#) to the squad for the upcoming season.



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Religious Services

There is not a definitive Mass schedule for the summer months. Please check for a posted schedule outside of the Chapel. The Welcome Mass takes place Thursday, August 28 at 4:30 p.m. in McKeon Pavilion. Our next 8 p.m. Mass will be Sunday, August 31.

[Religious Services Schedule](#)

Let us remember that we are in the holy presence of God.